



# ST. TIMOTHY CATHOLIC CHURCH

## IGLESIA DE SAN TIMOTEO

1515 Dolan Avenue (near 3rd & Norfolk) San Mateo, CA 94401

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EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER: 650-787-6510

### Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ October 15, 2017



Our readings this week speak of God's promises and their fulfillment, all in different ways. Isaiah presents a feast set in the future and hosted by God. Here the participants witness the astonishing generosity of God. At the feast, God gives the ultimate gift, the destruction of death itself. Saint Paul, confident in the fulfillment of God's abundant promises, urges the Philippians to live in gratitude and patience. Today's Gospel, however, is more challenging for us to hear. While announcing God's generous invitation, Jesus also describes, in dramatic imagery, how people may reject the invitation. Matthew reminded the early church of the need to recognize God's summons and be prepared to participate fully in God's banquet. This complex and unsettling parable invites our reflection on the nature of God's invitation and our response.



La parábola de hoy en el Evangelio es como una caricatura política o novela gráfica. Utiliza exageraciones y extraños giros de la historia para transmitir su mensaje. Hay una poca intención de ser "realista". Jesús compara el rechazo hacia él por parte del sumo sacerdote y los ancianos a una escena imaginaria escandalosa. Para su audiencia, hubiera sido profundamente ofensivo que alguien asistiera a un banquete real y luego violentamente rechazara la invitación. Esto indicaría una rebelión total en contra del rey. La parábola fue una acusación contundente en contra de los líderes religiosos. En comparación, las personas encontradas en la calle que iban al banquete eran como aquellas que aceptaron a Jesús durante su ministerio. Ellos son las personas "sin importancia" que sorpresivamente son receptoras hacia él. Mateo marca un fuerte contraste para acusar a los sacerdotes y ancianos y elevar a las personas ordinarias que reconocen la presencia de Dios en Jesús.

#### MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE MISAS

Saturday/Sábado 8 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

Sunday/Domingo 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m.  
(12:00 p.m. *en Español*)

Monday-Saturday 8:00 a.m. (in the Church)

Lunes a sábado 8:00 a.m. (*en la Iglesia*)

#### PENANCE/CONFESIONES

Saturdays from 3:30 - 4:30 or by appointment

*Sábados de 3:30 - 4:30 ó previa cita*

#### PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Alner Uy Nambatac, Pastor

Rev. Deacon Angel Aguilar

Rev. Deacon Faiva Po'oi

Rev. Deacon Fred Totah

Rev. Deacon Abel Mejia

Rev. Deacon Benny Koloamatangi

Jeanne Da San Martino, Parish Manager

**TONGAN USA CHAPLAIN** Rev. Kapiolani Kakala, (650-342-2470) Rev. Saimone T. Moala



#### QUESTION OF THE WEEK...

**Adult:** How do you translate your faith into the work of the Reign of God?

**Child:** What three things can you do this week to show that you are a follower of Jesus?

## Coming up at St. Timothy...

### School Halloween Bash

Saturday, October 21, 4-8pm in the Gym

ALL ARE WELCOME!

### R.C.I.A. Christian Initiation of Adults Classes

Wednesday, October 11th at 7pm (parish office)

### Bible Study (parish office)

Saturday, October 14th 9:30—10:30am

### Friday Night BINGO!

Doors Open at 4:30—Games Start at 7pm

Regular games pay \$300 ~ Special Games pay \$750

Admission: \$20 per person

Questions? Call: 650-464-0119

## SACRIFICIAL GIVING/COLECCION

### Gifts for God - Colección

1st collection: 10/8/17 \$4,361.50

2nd collection: : \$1,110.00

Thank You!

Let us offer our Prayers for all those affected by recent California fires.



## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND DECEASED

### Pray for our Sick and those who need our Prayers:

John O'Brien, Jose Huerta, Tukuafu Lautaimi, Hanise Posoa, Rina Lund, Jerry Lagomarsino, Oliver & Susan Olimpiada, Sergio Gallardo

**For the Souls of:** Gerry Margate, Maria Marin, Donald Gomez

### Grief and Bereavement

Deacon Fred Totah, (650-342-2468, Ext. 17)

### Eucharist to the Sick or Homebound

If you want to receive the Eucharist at home, please call the parish office at 342-2468.

## MASS INTENTIONS October 14 through October 21

### Saturday, October 14

5:00 pm + Pablo Alcalá  
+ Lita Fakava  
+ Gino Tribuzi

### Sunday, October 15

7:30 am + Tevita Hafoka  
All Military Services  
9:00 am Jack Alexander Moon—Birthday  
10:30am +Tevita Hofaka  
12:00 pm All St. Timothy Parishioners

### Monday, October 16

8:00 am + Rozalinda Gomez  
+Patricia Olcomendy  
School Mass

### Tuesday, October 17

8:00 am + Tevita Hafoka  
+ Amador Peralta

### Wednesday, October 18

8:00 am + Tevita Hafoka

### Thursday, October 19

8:00 am + Noble & Mary Larson Sr.  
+Giovanni Campo  
+ Derick Dave Alipio  
TapaValu Tuipulotu

### Friday, October 20

8:00 am +Tevita Hafoka  
+Donata Fontanone

### Saturday, October 21

8:00 am +Tevita Hafoka

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Monday: St. Hedwig; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque;  
National Boss's Day  
Tuesday: St. Ignatius of Antioch  
Wednesday: St. Luke  
Thursday: Ss. John de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues,  
and Companions  
Friday: St. Paul of the Cross  
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

## Regular Activities at St. Timothy

Liturgy Committee	First Thursdays	7:00 pm	Hispanic Leaders	First Mondays	7:00 pm
Pastoral Council	Third Thursdays	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary	Wednesdays	9:00 am
Finance Council	Fourth Tuesdays	7:00 pm	Adoration	First Fridays	5:45 pm (Chapel)

Visit our website at [www.sttims.us](http://www.sttims.us) for more details

Mass Intentions & Bulletin notices: at least 2 weeks in advance - Editor: Trudy Guella—[tguella@sttims.us](mailto:tguella@sttims.us)

**R.C.I.A. Christian Initiation of Adults**



R.C.I.A. is for people wanting to become Catholic. Also for Catholics who have not yet received Eucharist or Confirmation, as well as for Catholics who want to learn more about their religion. **Classes are on Wednesday's: 7:00 pm in the Parish Office. Come join us!**



**FAITH FORMATION (CCD) OFFICE**

Anamaria Park, R.E. Coordinator  
(650) 579-0901

**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8 AM – 2:00 PM**  
**Wednesday evenings 6-8:30PM, Saturdays 8AM-12PM**

We are accepting registrations for primary grades, middle school (6&7grades) and Confirmation students. (Confirmation now begins in 8<sup>th</sup> grade).

Primary grades: Saturday's from 9:00 to 10:30 AM  
Middle School and Confirmation classes:  
Wednesday's from 6:00 to 8:00 PM

**Children's Liturgy**

**Children's Liturgy: during the 9AM Mass**



**ST. TIMOTHY CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

GRADES K-8

Michelle Basile, Principal

(650) 342-6567, [www.sttimothyschool.org](http://www.sttimothyschool.org)



**HALLOWEEN BASH**  
**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21**

St. Timothy School invites the parish community to attend the 2017 St. Timothy School **Halloween Bash** on **Saturday, October 21**, from 4:00pm-8:00pm in the gym and schoolyard. Please join us for an evening of family fun, a haunted house, and games for children of all ages.

**YOUR ACTIONS COUNT**

Knowledge may give weight, but accomplishments give luster, and many more people see than weigh.

—Earl of Chesterfield

**SAN TIMOTEO EN ESPANOL**

**MINISTERIOS HISPANOS**  
Rev. Deacon Abel (650) 342-2468 x23

**FORMACION DE FE (CCD)**  
Anamaria Park, R.E. Coordinator  
(650) 579-0901

**Martes, Miercoles y Jueves 8 AM – 2:00 PM**  
**Miercoles 6PM-8:30PM, Sabados 8AM-12PM**

Estamos aceptando registraciones para los grados primarios, grados 6-7 y Confirmacion. (Confirmacion se comienza en el octavo grado).

Grados primaries: Sabado 9AM-10:30AM

Ggrados 6-7 y Confirmacion: Miercoles 6PM-8PM

Damos la bienvenida a nuestras familias y esperamos conocer a nuestra nueva familias.

Liturgia de ninos comienzo durante la Misa de 9 am.

**ALCOHOLICOS ANONIMOS**  
**Martes, Jueves y Viernes—7:30 p.m. Llame: 589-0587**

**AL-ANON**  
**7:00-9:30 pm Lunes Llame: 921-8616 o 345-6265**

**LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES**

Domingo: Vigésimo Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Lunes: Santa Margarita María de Alacoque; Santa Eduvigis; Día Nacional de los Jefes

Martes: San Ignacio de Antioquía

Miércoles: San Lucas

Jueves: Santos Juan de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues y compañeros

Viernes: San Pablo de la Cruz

Sábado: Santa María Virgen

**LECTORS:** Lesbya Reyes collected \$10.00 from Lectors for the 2018 Manuals. You can still pay for your book this Sunday or at the Parish Office this week. We need to place our order. Ministers who do not have an email address, may pick up their Schedules in Church.

**TUS ACCIONES CUENTAN**

El conocimiento puede dar peso, pero los reconocimientos dan brillo, y muchas personas ven lo que pesa.

—Earl of Chesterfield

**RCIA (Christian Initiation of Adults)** Rev. Deacon Faiva Po'oj, 650-867-4049

For individuals interested in becoming Catholic, and for adult Catholics who have not yet received Eucharist or Confirmation.

**PARISH REGISTRATION**



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**Name/Nombre**

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**Address/Direcion**

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**City/Ciudad**

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**Zip/Area Postal**

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**Phone/Telefono**

*Welcome! If you are new to St. Timothy and are not yet registered, we invite you to fill this out, cut it out, and return it to the parish office or drop it in the collection basket.*

**SACRAMENTS**

**BAPTISM/BAUTISOS**

Parents should call the Parish Office 3 months in advance.

*Los padres deberan de informar a la oficina, con tres meses de anticipación.*

**CONFIRMATION/CONFIRMACION**

Confirmation is now being offered to students entering the 8th grade and up if they have attended 7th grade religious education classes. Adults over 18 please contact Deacon Faiva, 650-867-4049.

*Estamos recibiendo estudiantes para confirmacion del octavo grado en adelante con previa educacion religiosa en el septimo.*

*Adultos mayores de 18 años comuniquense con Deacon Faiva Po'oi.*

**MARRIAGE/MATRIMONIOS**

Couples should call at least 6 months ahead of time.

*Por favor avisenos con seis meses de anticipación.*

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK /UNCION A LOS ENFERMOS**

For anyone experiencing chronic illness or preparing for medical treatment, or long term care, please call the parish office to arrange an appointment with a priest.

*Toda persona experimentando una enfermedad cronica, tratamiento medico o atencion de largo plazo, por favor llame a la oficina para obtener una cita con el sacerdote.*



**MUSIC DIRECTOR:** Mr. Peter Mafi

**October is the Month of the Holy Rosary**



**Marian Procession**

**Sunday, October 15th after 10:30 am Mass**

**JOIN US!**



**MONDAY OCTOBER 30<sup>TH</sup>**  
**12:00 TO 2:00 FITZPATRICK HALL**

**HALLOWEEN SENIOR  
LUNCH  
SOUPS**

**15 BEAN - BUTTERNUT SQUASH -  
CHILI  
FRENCH BREAD  
FRUIT AND CHEESE TRY  
COOKIES  
CHAMPAGNE PUNCH  
COFFEE / TEA / WATER**



**RSVP THE OFFICE: 650-342-2468**